



AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER			DOCKET NUMBER: P-LA 1245	
SERIAL NO: 08/349,479	FILING DATE: 12/02/1994	EXAMINER: P. Gambel	GROUP ART UNIT: 1644	
INVENTION: INHIBITING TRANSFORMING GROWTH FACTOR β TO PREVENT ACCUMULATION OF EXTRACELLULAR MATRIX				

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By: Robert T. Ramos
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March 15, 2001
Date of Signature

Transmitted herewith is a **Response to Office Action with attached Exhibit 1 (containing Exhibits A through E) and attached Exhibit 2 (containing Exhibit A)**, responsive to the Office Action mailed September 15, 2000, in connection with the above-identified application.

- ☒ Small Entity status of this application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27 by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ☒ Notice of Appeal from the Examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences is enclosed (in duplicate).
- ☒ Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time is enclosed (in duplicate).
- ☒ No additional claims fee is required.
- ☐ An additional claims fee is required and has been calculated as shown below:

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							SMALL ENTITY	OTHER ENTITY		SMALL ENTITY	OTHER ENTITY
TOTAL CLAIMS	4	-	20	-	0	x	\$9	\$18	=	\$0	\$
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	1	-	4	-	0	x	\$40	\$80	=	\$0	\$
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM			YES		x NO		\$135	\$270	=	\$0	\$
							TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE			\$0	\$

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— Please charge my Deposit Account No. 03-0370 the amount of \$_____. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

X A check in the amount of \$600.00 is enclosed, \$155.00 of which covers the fee for the Notice of Appeal, and \$445.00 of which covers the fee for the three-month extension of time.

X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-0370. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

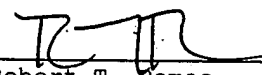
X Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.

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Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES		Attorney's Docket No. P-LA 1245
In Re Application of Border and Ruoslahti		
Serial Number 08/349,479	Filed December 2, 1194	
For INHIBITING TRANSFORMING GROWTH FACTOR β TO PREVENT ACCUMULATION OF EXTRACELLULAR MATRIX		
Group Art Unit 1644	Examiner P. Gambel	

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from
the decision dated September 15, 2000.

1. x Appeal fee (37 C.F.R. 1.17(b))
 x small entity \$155.00
 x verified statement previously filed in parent
application 07/416,656, filed
October 3, 1989.

2. x A petition and fee for an extension of time for reply
to the rejection is attached.

Extension fee (37 C.F.R. 1.17(a) - (c))


- x small entity
 x verified statement attached
 x verified statement previously filed in parent
application 07/416,656, filed
October 3, 1989.

___ \$ 55.00 ___ \$195.00 x \$445.00 ___ \$695.00

3. x A check is attached for the sum of **\$600.00**, \$155.00 of
which covers the fee for the Notice of Appeal and
\$445.00 of which covers the fee for the three-month
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